

# THE FREE CITIZEN, PUBLISHED SATURDAY, APRIL 17, 1875.

## CITY DIRECTORY.

### CITY OFFICERS.

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POSTMASTER, - - - - - W. E. Williams.  
CHURCHES.

METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH—Rev. Thomas Phillips, pastor. Services, in the afternoon and evening.

BAPTIST.—Rev. Mr. Morris, pastor. Services, first Sunday evening, and the second and fourth Sundays, morning, and evening.

METHODIST (South).—Rev. Mr. Clegg, pastor. Services, morning and evening. Sunday-school, 9 A. M.

PROTESTANT.—Rev. Mr. Brown, evangelist. Services, in the day and afternoon. Sunday-school, 11 A. M.

EPISCOPAL.—First and third Sundays, Morning and afternoon.

LUTHERAN CHURCH.—Rev. Mr. Hough, pastor. Services, morning 10 A. M., evening at 7 o'clock.

The passenger trains on the S. C. R. R. will pass through Orangeburg as follows:

Day, from Charleston, 10:45 a. m.  
" " from Columbia, 7:30 p. m.  
Night, from Columbia, 11:50 p. m.  
" " from Charleston, 2:30 a. m.

### COTTON QUOTATIONS,

#### FRIDAY EVENING.

|             |           |             |
|-------------|-----------|-------------|
| Charleston  | - - - - - | 11 1/2 & 12 |
| Montgomery  | - - - - - | 12 1/2 & 13 |
| New Orleans | - - - - - | 13          |
| Savannah    | - - - - - | 13          |

### PEWTER CLOCKS.

Great Clocks at Orangeburg Depot.

From 8 o'clock A. M. to 2 P. M.  
From 3 o'clock P. M. to 6 P. M.

Goods received and delivered only in office hours.

### OFFICE SCHOOL COMMISSIONER,

#### ORANGEBURG COUNTY.

March 12, 1875.

Teachers and all other parties who hold legitimate school claims against this county, due prior to November, 1873, will please report them immediately at my office, for registration.

#### THOMAS PHILLIPS,

#### School Commissioner.

Quite a severe snow storm by the Northern States on Monday.

A snow storm located in Charlestown on Thursday, after a day or two.

W. H. Girardson has been appointed superintendent for this county.

If the State Governor will veto the tax bill as soon as he returns from the North.

The Governor has removed General Dennis, and appointed Colonel Farmer, superintendant of the State Penitentiary.

If any one offends you, before answering try to call to mind the golden sentence: "A soft answer turneth away wrath; but grievous words stir up anger." If you attend to it, you will save yourself hours of regret and remorse.

Governor Chamberlain has refused to commute the sentence of George Anderc, now under sentence of death in Charleston jail for the murder of Staten Lane, but has commuted the sentences of Jordan Hardee and Hoyt Hardee from death to imprisonment for life.

THE LEXINGTON CENTENNIAL. Governor Chamberlain left Wednesday to attend the centennial celebration at Lexington. President Grant and some members of his cabinet are also to be present. Great preparations are being made in Boston to receive the distinguished guests.

Major Eversole, librarian of the State Library, is preparing for the press notices of commencement this year in South Carolina. He wishes a copy of the actually 100 years old and very costly book. He wishes to adduce some recollections of those events in regard to secessionary events, traveled, trade, manners and customs, means of communication, ways of amusements, and any events in families which will go to illustrate the progress of the country from their early days.

THE BARNWELL COURTHOUSE ELECTION. The Governor on Friday issued a proclamation fixing the 12th of May as the day for the election in Barnwell County to determine the locality of the county seat. H. H. Easterling, Joseph Chisolm and Geo. A. All are the commissioners of election.

ANONYMOUS. We have received a anonymous communication with the request to publish the same. None such will be published in the CITIZEN, so it is useless for anyone to make those promised developments. We are sufficiently "posted" already.

COMPLEMENTARY. During his entire term his honor Judge Cooke was diligent in the dispatch of the business of the court and courteous to all about him. His administration of justice is rigid, and has become a terror to evildoers. He deserves the thanks of our people for the willingness he has manifested to accommodate the sitings of the court to the wishes of the bar and the interests of the whole people. *Anderson Conservator.*

Welcome to ORANGEBURG. Mr. John Ogren from Charleston supplies the place made vacant in our business community by the death of Mr. Denby. The following complimentary remarks are from the *New and Courier* of Monday: Mr. John Ogren, who has been engaged in the saddlery business in Charleston for the past ten years, leaves to day for Orangeburg, where he will in future make his home. Mr. Ogren is a pushing merchant, and will be an acquisition to the commercial circle of that enterprising town.

A PALMETTO Tree from MASSACHUSETTS. The popular steamship Champion, Capt. R. W. Lockwood, left on Saturday for New York, with a large passenger list, and about 1,000 barrels and packages of vegetables, and 2,000 quarts of strawberries. Along with other shipments was that of a genuine palmetto tree the growth of South Carolina, to be used at the great celebration soon to take place in Lexington Massachusetts. It is a strong sign of the restoration of good feeling between the North and South. *News and Courier.*

The following from the revised Statutes in reference to the criminal jurisdiction of trial Justice may possibly be construed to have a local significance:

SEC. 14. They shall have jurisdiction of the offenses of obtaining property by any false pretense, or by any party or false token, or by any name, device, or sleight of hand, judiciously contriv'd, to defraud, to draw, or to obtain money by the use of cards or other implements, or instruments, where they would have obtained a sum of money of the same property, were they to punish said offenses the same as treachery.

We have a witnessed statement of Reuben Palafredo, the supposed murderer, in reference to his arrest and his interviews with the fortune teller. He visited her at about eight o'clock Sunday morning, and after seven Sunday night. At the first interview she could tell him but little, but at night she seemed thoroughly posted. He paid her in all seventy-five cents. He states that he was arrested by two gentlemen, who, he has since learned were W. C. Mitchel and Tom Alexander.

A NEW DAILY. The *Daily Telegraph*, a two cent evening paper, made its appearance in Charleston on Thursday. It is published by L. E. C. Moore & Co. We wish it success. In the salutatory to the public it says:

"The DAILY TELEGRAPH will aim to be such a paper as shall command itself to every reader—as its columns will be free from abuse, the proprietors seeking to make it the medium of no party or ring, but simply a news paper. Standing on this platform, we will save yourself hours of regret and remorse."

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It has been a long time since it was known that Russell Wilson murdered a man in the Penitentiary. During a recent visit to Columbia a reporter got at the truth in time. The master is indeed. Russell Wilson has recently made a dangerous attempt to escape. After digging a hole through the fence, he fell into an adjacent one, which was not broken, but his plan was foiled before he could carry it into execution.

We would call attention to the dangerous wad printed in another column is something of an anomaly to us to take the law into his hands and then appeal to the law that he has ignored for satisfaction. It would have been the part of a true citizen to have first sought redress from the law. Friends should righteously do what they can homely be done for their officers to be done with their character both skill and energy.

A SANCTUARY. The Rev. Dr. John E. Lewis, a Methodist Minister, of Columbia, has been in this city. Friends were picked up, but the four slaves, who were with him, are supposed to have been drowned.

asted J. K. Edwards.

M. J. A. Eastlow, of Charleston, who is about sixteen years of age, H. was not able to swim, and is believed to have gone down with the boat.

Master George Burke is about seventeen years old, is the son of Capt. Wm. Burke, a well known citizen of Charleston. Being a good boy, and there is some hope that he may have managed to keep himself afloat until picked up by a passing boat.

Mr. George Kent is a native of New York, who has been residing in Charleston several months. He was engaged in the auction business in King street, near the Academy of Music, and boarded at the Waverly House. He was twenty-three years old.

Mr. Adolph Davis was twenty-seven years old, and was a native of New York. He was 15. He was employed at the Linton Smith's furniture department.

A CASE OF DEATH. It is a horrid idea that people have sometimes been buried alive. The following is given on good authority as an infallible test of the question of life or death:

A positive sign of death is announced by Dr. Head Magazine, of Boston. Their string binds around the finger of the supposed corpse. If there is the least spark of life, the finger will gradually turn to a bluish red, and nothing can be mistaken for this appearance.

New Light on Thines. "Hallow young fellow!" said the cook to the shepherd's dog, eyeing him very fiercely as he ran by. "Give a word to say to you."

"Say on," said Shag; "I am in a hurry."

"I wish to remark," said the cook, "that there has been a great mistake made in the stockyard; and you can tell your master that he and the other may instead of turning the corn end of the sheaves into the stack, and laying the stalks outside, should have done it the other way. How are we now, me? I don't think we get on the grade?"

"On the," said Shag, "you know that none of us were made for powder, but the traps, &c., were made for barn yards. Get the information ready, and you'll find me with a range pistol; these we can't understand, and we'll teach 'em to you."

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### ADVERTISEMENTS.

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